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6 July 1959

MINORANDUM FOR : Chief, WH Division

SUBJECT : Mitchell L. WERBELL

1. General Cabell phoned me at noon on 5 July 1959 to report on a call he had received from Subject, a former OSS man, now in Public Relations work at Powder Springs, Ga., telephone 5075 (out of the Atlanta exchange).

- 2. WERBELL reported he had just returned from a trip to the Dominican Republic where he had been approached by General Pedrasa and his group as well as some Dominicans including Manuel de Moya and Eduardo Rodrigues. They had asked him (WERBELL) to work with them to return to Cuba. WERBELL is sympathetic to their aims and anti-Communist orientation but does not know whether to help them or not. He wants advice in this regard. WERBELL asked if the group had been in touch with CIA. They said no, but implied they are trying or would soon make contact.
  - 3. WERSELL said he has considerable intelligence on the

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group and offered to come to Washington at his own expense to discuss the matter. He would, however, prefer to have someone else pick up this bill.

- 4. General Cabell made no commitments of any kind, but told WERBELL someone would be in touch with him, probably on Monday, 6 July.
- 5. General Cabell said WH had the ball on this. He would like to know what results from it.

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